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SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL)

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:
(AVISO AL DEMANDADO):
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,
and DOES 1-25 inclusive

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF:

(LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):
STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC, and
STOCKTON DEJA VU BOUTIQUE, LLC

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San Joaquin County Superior Court
222 East Weber Avenue
Stockton, CA 95202

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The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is:
(El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
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San Diego, CA 92101
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DATE: JUL 17 2009 ROSA JUNQUEIRO

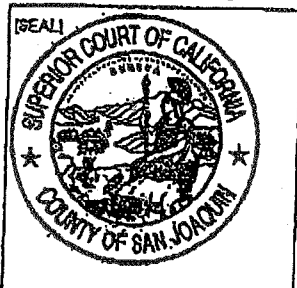
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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN

STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC and
STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No.: 39-2009-00221372-CU-MC-STK

PLAINTIFFS' VERIFIED COMPLAINT FOR
INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND DECLARATORY
RELIEF;

BY FAX

Superior Court Judge:
Complaint Filed:

THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO
JUDGE LAUREN P. THOMASSON IN DEPARTMENT 18
FOR ALL PURPOSES, INCLUDING TRIAL

Comes now Plaintiffs herein allege as follows;

1. That plaintiff STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC at all times alleged herein was and is an LLC organized and operating under the laws of the State of Nevada, with all necessary certificates to conduct business in the State of California, and is the entity operating and doing business as "Déjà Vu Showgirls," 4206 N. West Lane, Stockton, California.

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2. That plaintiff STOCKTON DÉJA VU BOUTIQUE, LLC at all times alleged herein was and is an LLC organized and operating under the laws of the State of Nevada, with all necessary certificates to conduct business in the State of California, and is the entity operating and previously doing business as "Lucky Déjà Vu Internet Cafe," 4124 N. West Lane, Stockton, California.

3. Plaintiffs are informed and believe and thereon allege that defendant CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Hereinafter "Defendant") is a properly constituted department of the State of California with responsibility, through its Division of Gambling Control, for the uniform enforcement of laws, statutes and codes throughout the State of California.

4. The true names, culpability or capacities, whether individual, corporate, institutional, associate, or otherwise, of defendants DOES 1-25, inclusive, are unknown to Plaintiffs, who therefore sue said DOE defendants by such fictitious names. Plaintiffs are informed and believe and thereon allege that each of the defendants designated as a DOE is legally responsible in some manner for the acts and/or omissions alleged herein, and actually and proximately caused and contributed to said acts referred to and alleged herein.

5. Plaintiffs are informed and believe, and thereon allege, that at all times mentioned herein, Defendant and DOES 1-25, inclusive, were the agents, partners, employers, employees and joint venturers of each of the remaining defendants including Defendant and DOES 1-25, inclusive, and were, at all times mentioned herein, acting within the course and scope of such agency or employment.

6. Plaintiffs are exempt from the Government Claims Act, Govt. Code Section §14 et seq., and/or any related claims filing requirement(s) as the instant complaint does not seek monetary damages, and, because Defendant has represented it will destroy plaintiffs seized business

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equipment "in 30 days" and defendant has, by law, 45 days to accept or deny any pre-litigation claim, thereby rendering the claims process both impossible and inequitable to plaintiffs herein. *Long v. City of Los Angeles* (1998) 68 CA 4th 782.

The Sweepstakes

7. At all times alleged herein, Plaintiff STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC operated the Lucky Déjà Vu Internet Café. The Internet Café sold "internet time" to customers to use on plaintiffs computer terminals. Plaintiff STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC additionally had computers for customers to use their internet time.

8. For every dollar spent by a customer purchasing internet time, the customer received 100 Sweepstakes entries. The Sweepstakes entries provided to the customer were *predetermined* entrees which the customer could either, (A.) enter into any of the internet computers at plaintiffs businesses and immediately determine if the customer received any Sweepstakes winnings, or, (B.) chose to operate one of 18 different games on the computer to determine if any of the entries were a winning Sweepstakes entry. Under the latter option, the customer's ability to win or lose the game was not based upon the customer's skill at any of the games. Instead, the customer's ability to win, or lose, the various games was predetermined by the Sweepstakes entrees. The Sweepstakes do not require the use of the participant's skill or expertise. No amount of the participant's skill can influence the outcome of the game(s). Plaintiffs are informed and believe, and thereon allege, that defendants dispute each of these contentions and contend the Sweepstakes violate California law, statute or code.

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9. Despite the facts alleged in paragraphs 1 through 8 above, upon information and belief Defendants have taken the position that the manner in which the Swocpstakos was operated constitutes unlawful conduct.

10. On or about June 24, 2009, Defendant, through its Division of Gambling Control, confiscated Plaintiffs computers, servers, monitors and related business equipment and items.

Plaintiffs Demand to Preserve and Protect Seized Property and Objection to Defendants

Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines.

11. Plaintiffs, for purposes of reference and identification only, and without admitting any of the information contained thereon, attach hereto as Exhibit A, a June 24, 2009 Department of Justice, division of Gambling Control, "Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines" notice pertaining to STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC, and Exhibit B, a Department of Justice, Division of Gambling Control, June 24, 2009 property receipt bearing investigation number BGC-SA2009-00037 pertaining to STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC. Upon information and belief plaintiffs believe that a "Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines" was generated with regard to the STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC. Computers and related equipment seized by Defendants.

12. By this pleading, filed and served within the 30 day limitation set forth in Exhibit A, plaintiffs' demand that defendants cease from any efforts to destroy the seized property identified and alleged herein until such time as the Court can fully adjudicate the rights, duties and liabilities of the parties, as alleged herein. Further, and by this pleading, plaintiffs demand that Defendant immediately notify its agents, assigns, partners, employers, employees and joint

1 venturers of plaintiffs demand in order that the referenced property will be preserved, and not
2 destroyed, by defendants' agents, assigns, partners, employers, employees and joint venturers.

3 **FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION**

4 **Injunctive Relief**

5 **(As against all Defendants and DOES)**

6 13. Plaintiffs incorporate herein by reference paragraphs 1 to 12, inclusive, as though fully
7 set forth herein.

8 14. Plaintiffs have vested property rights in the seized equipment referenced herein, the
9 Sweepstakes promotion and the internet service, and without which, Plaintiffs cannot do
10 business.

11 15. Plaintiffs will suffer irreparable injury unless defendants interference with the full and
12 lawful use of defendants businesses are enjoined because, *inter alia*, the business equipment of
13 defendants is presently at risk of being destroyed by the Department of Justice, and, because
14 Plaintiffs stand to lose their leaseholds and/or businesses as they are currently out of business as
15 a result of defendants actions alleged herein. Plaintiffs seek temporary and permanent restraining
16 orders and injunctive relief preventing defendants and DOES from (1.) destroying Plaintiffs'
17 business equipment, and (2.) precluding defendants from holding that Plaintiffs Sweepstakes is
18 in violation of any California law, statute or code.
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SECOND CAUSE OF ACTIONDeclaratory Relief(As against all defendants and DOES)

16. Plaintiffs incorporate herein by reference paragraphs 1 to 15, inclusive, as though fully set forth herein.

17. An actual controversy has arisen and exists between Plaintiffs and defendants concerning the whether the Sweepstakes game referenced herein is prohibited under California law, statute or code. Plaintiffs contend that Sweepstakes is legal in all aspects. Defendants, upon information and belief, contend it is not.

18. Plaintiffs desire, and hereby request, a judicial resolution of the controversy alleged herein and a determination that plaintiffs are correct as to the legality of their Sweepstakes as alleged herein and for the return of Plaintiffs seized property.

WHEREFORE,

Plaintiffs pray for judgment against Defendants and DOES inclusive, and each of them, as follows:

1. For injunctive relief, including temporary and permanent restraining orders, enjoining defendants (and their agents, employees and representatives) and DOES from destroying plaintiffs seized property and for its return to plaintiffs;
2. For injunctive relief, including temporary and permanent restraining orders enjoining defendants (and their agents, employees and representatives) and DOES from

1 holding, determining and/or enforcing defendants position that plaintiffs Sweepstakes
2 is in violation of California law, statute or code;

3 3. For a declaratory judgment to be rendered and entered determining that plaintiffs
4 Sweepstakes is not in violation of California law, statute or code;

5 4. For costs of suit;

6 5. For such other and further relief as the court may deem just and proper.
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11 DATED: July 17, 2009
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20 Defendants.

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VERIFICATION OF COMPLAINT

Superior Court Judge:

Complaint Filed:

21 I, Donald Krontz, declare as follows,

- 22 1. I am the managing director of plaintiffs STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC and
23 STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC in the above-entitled action.
24 2. I have reviewed the attached "Plaintiffs verified complaint for Injunctive relief and
25 Declaratory relief."

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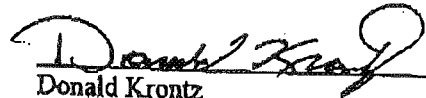
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1 3. The facts, information and allegations in the complaint are true and correct, except for
2 those matters alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters, I believe them
3 to be true and correct.

4 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California that the foregoing is
5 true and correct.
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State of California

Department of Justice

Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines and Devices
COO-023 COB (Rev. 1/08)

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESTROY MACHINES AND DEVICES
PURSUANT TO SECTION 335a OF THE CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE

Notice is hereby given that the expiration of thirty (30) days after 6/24/09, the Department of Justice, Division of Gambling Control, will summarily destroy those machines and devices the possession or control of which is penalized by the law of the State of California prohibiting lotteries or gambling, which have been seized in the County of SAN JOAQUIN, by a peace officer at and upon the premises commonly known as "LUCKY DEJA VU SHOWGIRLS" and located at 4206 N. WEST LANE, STOCKTON, CA, unless before the expiration of said time, action be commenced in court of competent jurisdiction to recover the possession of said machines and devices, which said machines and devices are more particularly described as follows:

One (1) HP computer DX2450 serial # MXL8190612

One (1) USB Double Witch - model # SLK001 serial # 09031315
World Tech Gaming

One (1) 19" monitor flat screen serial # H08029891

One (1) HP computer DX2450 - serial # MXL8190614

One (1) USB Double Witch model # SLK001 - serial # 09031331

One (1) USB Double Witch - model # SLK001 serial # 08081

One (1) 19" monitor flat screen serial # H08029886

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By: SA LISA MORRIS

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CASE NUMBER: (Número del Caso):

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The name and address of the court is:

(El nombre y dirección de la corte es):
San Diego Superior Court
325 South Melrose Drive
Vista, CA 92081

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is:

(El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
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750 B Street, Ste: 2740 619-232-2690
San Diego, CA 92101

DATE: JUL 20 2009
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(Secretario)

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Items 1-6 below must be completed (see instructions on page 2).

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Miscellaneous Civil Petition
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2. This case ☐ is ☒ is not complex under rule 3.400 of the California Rules of Court. If the case is complex, mark the factors requiring exceptional judicial management:
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| a. <input type="checkbox"/> Large number of separately represented parties | d. <input type="checkbox"/> Large number of witnesses |
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| c. <input type="checkbox"/> Substantial amount of documentary evidence | f. <input type="checkbox"/> Substantial postjudgment judicial supervision |
3. Remedies sought (check all that apply): a. ☐ monetary b. ☒ nonmonetary; declaratory or injunctive relief c. ☐ punitive
4. Number of causes of action (specify): Two.
5. This case ☐ is ☒ is not a class action suit.
6. If there are any known related cases, file and serve a notice of related case. (You may use form CM-005.)

Date: July 17, 2009

David B. Norris
(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF PARTY OR ATTORNEY FOR PARTY)

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- File this cover sheet in addition to any cover sheet required by local court rule.
- If this case is complex under rule 3.400 et seq. of the California Rules of Court, you must serve a copy of this cover sheet on all other parties to the action or proceeding.
- Unless this is a collections case under rule 3.740 or a complex case, this cover sheet will be used for statistical purposes only.

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7 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

8 **IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO**

9 **NORTH COUNTY BRANCH**

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 11 LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC,

Case No.: 37-2009-00057435-CU-MC-NC

12 Plaintiff,

PLAINTIFFS' VERIFIED COMPLAINT FOR
 INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND DECLARATORY
 RELIEF;

13 v.

14 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
 15 JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,

Superior Court Judge:
 Complaint Filed:

16 Defendants.
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 21 Comes now Plaintiff herein alleges as follows;

22 1. That plaintiff LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC at all times alleged herein was
 23 and is an LLC organized and operating with all necessary certificates to conduct business in the
 24 State of California, and is the entity operating and doing business as "Lucky Bobs Internet Cafe"
 25 3915 Mission Avenue, Suite D3&4, Oceanside, California.
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LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC v. CALIFORNIA DEPT. OF JUSTICE; SDSC CASE NO. #: PLAINTIFF'S
 VERIFIED COMPLAINT;

1 2. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that defendant CALIFORNIA
2 DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Hereinafter "Defendant") is a properly constituted department of
3 the State of California with responsibility, through its Division of Gambling Control, for the
4 uniform enforcement of laws, statutes and codes throughout the State of California.

5 3. The true names, culpability or capacities, whether individual, corporate, institutional,
6 associate, or otherwise, of defendants DOES 1-25, inclusive, are unknown to Plaintiff, who
7 therefore sue said DOE defendants by such fictitious names. Plaintiff is informed and believes
8 and thereon alleges that each of the defendants designated as a DOE is legally responsible in
9 some manner for the acts and/or omissions alleged herein, and actually and proximately caused
10 and contributed to said acts referred to and alleged herein.

11 4. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that at all times mentioned herein,
12 Defendant and DOES 1-25, inclusive, were the agents, partners, employers, employees and joint
13 venturers of each of the remaining defendants including Defendant and DOES 1-25, inclusive,
14 and were, at all times mentioned herein, acting within the course and scope of such agency or
15 employment.

16 5. Plaintiff is exempt from the Government Claims Act, *Govt. Code* Section 814 et seq.,
17 and/or any related claims filing requirement(s) as the instant complaint does not seek monetary
18 damages, and, because Defendant has represented it will destroy plaintiff's seized business
19 equipment "in 30 days" and defendant has, by law, 45 days to accept or deny any pre-litigation
20 claim, thereby rendering the claims process both impossible and inequitable to plaintiff herein.

21 *Long v. City of Los Angeles* (1998) 68 CA 4th 782.
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The Sweepstakes

6. At all times alleged herein, Plaintiff LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC operated the "Lucky bobs Internet Cafe." The Internet Café sold "internet time" to customers to use on plaintiff's computer terminals.

7. For every dollar spent by a customer purchasing internet time, the customer received 100 Sweepstakes entries. The Sweepstakes entries provided to the customer were *predetermined* entrees which the customer could either, (A.) enter into any of the internet computers at plaintiff's business and immediately determine if the customer received any Sweepstakes winnings, or, (B.) chose to operate one of 18 different games on the computer to determine if any of the entries were a winning Sweepstakes entry. Under the latter option, the customer's ability to win or lose the game was not based upon the customer's skill at any of the games. Instead, the customer's ability to win, or lose, the various games was predetermined by the Sweepstakes entrees. The Sweepstakes do not require the use of the participant's skill or expertise. No amount of the participant's skill can influence the outcome of the game(s). Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that defendants dispute each of these contentions and contend the Sweepstakes violate California law, statute or code.

8. Despite the facts alleged in paragraphs 1 through 7 above, upon information and belief Defendants have taken the position that the manner in which the Sweepstakes was operated constitutes unlawful conduct.

9. On or about June 24, 2009, Defendant, through its Division of Gambling Control, confiscated Plaintiff's computers, servers, monitors and related business equipment and items.

Plaintiffs Demand to Preserve and Protect Seized Property and Objection to Defendants

Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines.

10. Plaintiff, for purposes of reference and identification only, and without admitting any of the information contained thereon, attach hereto as Exhibit A, a June 24, 2009 Department of Justice, division of Gambling Control, "Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines" notice pertaining to LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFE, LLC.

11. By this pleading, filed and served within the 30 day limitation set forth in Exhibit A, plaintiff demands that defendants cease from any efforts to destroy the seized property identified and alleged herein until such time as the Court can fully adjudicate the rights, duties and liabilities of the parties, as alleged herein. Further, and by this pleading, plaintiff demands that Defendant immediately notify its agents, assigns, partners, employers, employees and joint ventures of plaintiffs demand in order that the referenced property will be preserved, and not destroyed, by defendants' agents, assigns, partners, employers, employees and joint venturers.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

Injunctive Relief

(As against all Defendants and DOES)

12. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference paragraphs 1 to 11, inclusive, as though fully set forth herein.

13. Plaintiff has vested property rights in the seized equipment referenced herein, the Sweepstakes promotion and the internet service, and without which, Plaintiff cannot do business.

14. Plaintiff will suffer irreparable injury unless defendants interference with the full and lawful use of defendants businesses are enjoined because, *inter alia*, the business equipment of

1 defendants is presently at risk of being destroyed by the Department of Justice, and, because
2 Plaintiff stands to lose its leasehold and/or business as it is currently out of business as a result of
3 defendants actions alleged herein. Plaintiff seeks temporary and permanent restraining orders and
4 injunctive relief preventing defendants and DOES from (1.) destroying Plaintiffs business
5 equipment, and (2.) precluding defendants from holding that Plaintiffs Sweepstakes is in
6 violation of any California law, statute or code.

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8 **SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION**

9 **Declaratory Relief**

10 **(As against all defendants and DOES)**

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12 15. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference paragraphs 1 to 14, inclusive, as though fully
13 set forth herein.

14 16. An actual controversy has arisen and exists between Plaintiff and defendants concerning
15 the whether the Sweepstakes game referenced herein is prohibited under California law, statute
16 or code. Plaintiff contends that Sweepstakes is legal in all aspects. Defendants, upon
17 information and belief, contend it is not.

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19 17. Plaintiff desires, and hereby request, a judicial resolution of the controversy alleged
20 herein and a determination that plaintiff is correct as to the legality of their Sweepstakes as
21 alleged herein and for the return of Plaintiff seized property.

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23 **WHEREFORE,**

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25 Plaintiff prays for judgment against Defendants and DOES inclusive, and each of them,
26 as follows:

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1. For injunctive relief, including temporary and permanent restraining orders, enjoining defendants (and their agents, employees and representatives) and DOES from destroying plaintiffs seized property and for its return to plaintiff;
2. For injunctive relief, including temporary and permanent restraining orders enjoining defendants (and their agents, employees and representatives) and DOES from holding, determining and/or enforcing defendants position that plaintiff Sweepstakes is in violation of California law, statute or code;
3. For a declaratory judgment to be rendered and entered determining that plaintiff Sweepstakes is not in violation of California law, statute or code;
4. For costs of suit;
5. For such other and further relief as the court may deem just and proper.

DATED: July 17, 2009



David B. Norris
LAW OFFICES OF DAVID B. NORRIS
Attorney for Plaintiff LUCKY BOBS
INTERNET CAFE

EXHIBIT A

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State of California
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE



BUREAU OF GAMBLING CONTROL
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESTROY MACHINES AND DEVICES
PURSUANT TO SECTION 335a OF THE CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE

Notice is hereby given, that upon the expiration of thirty (30) days after 06-24-09,
the Department of Justice, Division of Gambling Control, will summarily destroy those
machines and devices the possession or control of which is penalized by the law of the State of
California, prohibiting lotteries or gambling, which have been seized in the County of
SAN DIEGO, by a peace officer at and upon the premises commonly known as LUCKY BOBS
INTERNET CAFE and is located at 3915 MISSION AVE, STE 3/4 OCEANSIDE, CA unless
before the expiration of said time, ~~action be commenced in court of competent jurisdiction to~~

~~recover the possession of said machines and devices, which said machines and devices are~~

~~more particularly described as follows:~~

HP SERVER COMPUTER, HP MICROTOWER, SIM CARD
READER, HP COMPUTER TOWER

Date Posted: 06-24-09

By: CALIFORNIA DEPT. OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF GAMBLING CONTROL
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14 LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC,

15 Plaintiff,

16 v.

17 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
 18 JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,

19 Defendants.

Case No.:

VERIFICATION OF COMPLAINT

Superior Court Judge:
 Complaint Filed:

20 I, Robert Kurbis, declare as follows,

- 21 1. I am the managing director of plaintiff LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC in the
- 22 above-entitled action.
- 23 2. I have reviewed the attached "Plaintiffs verified complaint for Injunctive relief and
- 24 Declaratory relief."
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 VERIFIED COMPLAINT;

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1 3. The facts, information and allegations in the complaint are true and correct, except for
2 those matters alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters, I believe them
3 to be true and correct.

4 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California that the foregoing is
5 true and correct.
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10 DATED: July 17, 2009



Robert Kurbis

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LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFE, LLC v. CALIFORNIA DEPT. OF JUSTICE; SDSC CASE NO. #; PLAINTIFF'S
VERIFIED COMPLAINT;

EXHIBIT C

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
SOUTH BUILDING
TENTATIVE RULINGS - September 24, 2009

EVENT DATE: 09/25/2009 EVENT TIME: 01:30:00 PM DEPT.: N-28
JUDICIAL OFFICER: Earl H. Maas III

CASE NO.: 37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC

CASE TITLE: LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFE, LLC VS. CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

CASE CATEGORY: Civil - Unlimited CASE TYPE: Misc Complaints - Other

EVENT TYPE: Motion Hearing (Civil)
CAUSAL DOCUMENT/DATE FILED:

The unopposed Motion of Lucky Bobs Internet Café to Transfer and Consolidate Cases, is granted.

Pursuant to Cal. Rules of Court, Rule 3.500(d) this court finds the following:

- that Lucky Bobs Internet Café, LLC. v. California Department of Justice; and Stockton Enterprises, LLC. v. California Department of Justice are not complex cases as indicated by their civil case cover sheets; *see declaration of David B. Norris, ¶ 11.*
- that there are common questions of both fact or law that are significant to the litigation. Both cases arise from the same "sweepstakes" program run at two different venues. Also, both cases have identical causes of action; *see declaration of David B. Norris, ¶ 8.*
- that the convenience of the parties, witnesses, and counsel are served by transferring the San Joaquin case of Stockton Enterprises, LLC. v. California Department of Justice the San Diego Superior Court, Department 28; *see declaration of David B. Norris, ¶ 9.*
- that the relative development of the actions and the work product of counsel will be similar because the two separate actions involve identical claims arising from similar facts; *see declaration of David B. Norris, ¶ 8.*
- that by transferring and consolidating the cases there is an efficient utilization of judicial facilities and staff resources in that it allows the Stockton Enterprises, LLC v. California Department of Justice case to be consolidated here, thus freeing up the San Joaquin County Courthouse;
- that by transferring and consolidating the cases the calendar of the courts is served by halving the required hearings;
- that the disadvantages of duplicative and inconsistent rulings, orders, or judgments is minimal due to the nature of the cases; *see declaration of David B. Norris, ¶ 12.* and
- there is low likelihood of settlement of the actions without further litigation should coordination be denied.

Lastly, the Court notes that the Defendants in the case have submitted a "Notice of Agreement to Transfer Action Pending in San Joaquin County to this Court and for Consolidation with this action."

CASE TITLE: LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFE, LLC CASE NUMBER: 37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC
VS. CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF

The Moving Party, Lucky Bobs Internet Café, is to hereby take the following steps to implement the transfer, pursuant to Cal.Rules of Court, rule 3.500(e), (f):

- Plaintiff shall serve this order on all parties to the case within 7 days of the date of this ruling;
- Plaintiff shall serve this order to the Judicial Council within 7 days of the date of this ruling; and
- Plaintiff shall send this order to the presiding judge of the San Joaquin Superior Court within 7 days of the date of this ruling.

Upon receipt of the case from San Joaquin, the clerks are directed to consolidate both actions. Any responsive pleadings shall be filed with the court within 30 days of the date of transfer.

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

Case Name: LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC. v CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
No. 37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC

I, DAVID B. NORRIS, declare: I am employed in the County of San Diego, California. I am 18 years of age or over and not a party to the within cause; my business address is 402 West Broadway, Suite 1140, San Diego, California, 92101-8513.
On the date listed below, I served the attached;

Tentative Ruling- September 24, 2009

In said cause, by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope in the mail collection system of the Law Offices of David B. Norris, 402 West Broadway, Suite 1140, San Diego, California, 92101-8513, for deposit in the United States Postal Service mail that same day in the ordinary course of business, in a sealed envelope, postage fully paid, addressed as follows, or, that personal service was made upon the individual or entity as stated below;

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Stockton, CA 95202

Judicial Council
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Sacramento, CA 95814

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed at San Diego, California, on the date set forth below.

September 25, 2009



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NORTH COUNTY BRANCH**

LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC,
Plaintiff,

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,
Defendants.

AND CONSOLIDATED ACTION:

STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC and
STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,
Defendants.

Case No.: 37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC
Consolidated Cases

NOTICE OF RULING

Dept. : NC-28
Superior Court Judge: Hon. Earl H. Maas III
Complaint Filed: July 17, 2009

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**LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC ET AL v. CALIFORNIA DEPT. OF JUSTICE;
SDSC CASE NO. #37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC; NOTICE OF RULING;**

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1 At the December 11, 2009, 1:30 P.M., Department 28, hearing on Defendant
2 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICES' demurrer to Plaintiff's verified complaint;
3 After oral argument, the demurrer was overruled. The Court granted Defendant leave to file an
4 answer by January 4, 2010.

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7 December 18, 2009


8 David B. Norris, Attorney for Plaintiffs

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

Case Name: LUCKY BOB'S LLC v CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

No. 37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC

I, DAVID B. NORRIS, declare: I am employed in the County of San Diego, California. I am 18 years of age or over and not a party to the within cause; my business address is 402 West Broadway, Suite 1140, San Diego, California, 92101-8513.

On the date listed below, I served the attached;

PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF RULING

In said cause, by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope in the mail collection system of the Law Offices of David B. Norris, 402 West Broadway, Suite 1140, San Diego, California, 92101-8513, for deposit in the United States Postal Service mail that same day in the ordinary course of business, in a sealed envelope, postage fully paid, addressed as follows, or, that personal service was made upon the individual or entity as stated below;

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Attorney for defendant

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed at San Diego, California, on the date set forth below.

December 21, 2009



David B. Norris, Attorney for Plaintiffs

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13 COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO

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Section 6103

16 **LUCKY BOBS INTERNET CAFÉ, LLC,**

17 Plaintiff,

18 v.

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20 **CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF**
JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,

21 Defendants.

Case No. 37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC

Consolidated with

San Joaquin County Case No.
39-2009-00221372-CU-MC-STK

**DEFENDANT CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE'S
ANSWER TO LUCKY BOBS INTERNET
CAFÉ, LLC'S VERIFIED COMPLAINT
FOR INJUNCTIVE AND
DECLARATORY RELIEF**

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24 Dept: N-28
Judge: Hon. Earl H. Maas III
Trial Date: Not yet assigned
25 Action Filed: July 20, 2009
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1 **STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC, and**
2 **STOCKTON DEJA VU BOUTIQUE, LLC,**
3 **Plaintiffs,**
4 **v.**
5 **CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF**
6 **JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,**
7 **Defendants.**

8 Defendant, the California Department of Justice (Defendant) answers Plaintiff Lucky Bobs
9 Internet Café, LLC's (Plaintiff) verified complaint for injunctive and declaratory relief
10 (Complaint) as follows:

11 **RESPONSE TO ALLEGATIONS COMMON TO ALL CAUSES OF ACTION**

12 1. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 1 of the Complaint that Plaintiff
13 operates and does business as Lucky Bobs Internet Café at 3915 Mission Avenue, Suite D3&4,
14 Oceanside, California. Defendant is without information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or
15 deny the remaining allegations in paragraph 1 of the Complaint and on that basis denies each and
16 every remaining allegation therein.

17 2. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 2 of the Complaint that it is a properly
18 constituted department of the State of California. Defendant denies the allegation in paragraph 2
19 of the Complaint that it has responsibility, through its Division of Gambling Control, for the
20 uniform enforcement of laws, statutes and codes throughout the State of California. Defendant
21 avers that it has the authority, through the Bureau of Gambling Control, for enforcing and
22 ensuring compliance with state gambling laws.

23 3. Defendant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 3 of the Complaint.

24 4. Defendant is without information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the
25 allegations in paragraph 4 of the Complaint and on that basis denies each and every allegation.

26 5. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 5 of the Complaint that the Complaint
27 does not specifically request monetary damages. Defendant admits that it has represented that it
28 will destroy business equipment seized from Plaintiff in 30 days. Defendant is without

1 information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the implied allegation in paragraph 5
2 of the Complaint that Plaintiff owns the seized property, and on that basis denies such allegation.
3 Defendant denies the remaining allegations that are in the form of legal conclusions and citation
4 to case law and avers that the cited laws and decisions speak for themselves.

5 6. Defendant admits the allegations in paragraph 6 of the Complaint that Plaintiff
6 operated Lucky Bobs Internet Café and that Lucky Bobs Internet Café sold “internet time” to
7 customers for use on Plaintiff’s computer terminals. Defendant is without information or belief
8 sufficient to be able to admit or deny the implied allegation in paragraph 6 of the Complaint that
9 Plaintiff owns the computer terminals and on that basis denies such allegation.

10 7. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 7 of the Complaint that for every dollar
11 spent by a customer of Lucky Bobs Internet Café to purchase “internet time”, the customer
12 received 100 prize entries. Defendant admits that prize winners were determined by the customer
13 entering his or her entries into a computer at Plaintiff’s business and either: (a) immediately
14 determining if a prize had been won, or (b) operating one of at least 18 different games on the
15 computer to determine if a prize had been won. Defendant admits that a customer’s ability to win
16 or lose at the computer games was not based upon the customer’s skill at playing the games.
17 Defendant admits that a customer’s ability to win a prize was not based upon the customer’s skill
18 at playing the games. Defendant admits that no skill or expertise was required to win a prize and
19 that no amount of skill or expertise could influence the outcome of the computer games. In
20 response to the allegations in the final sentence in paragraph 7 of the Complaint, Defendant avers
21 that Plaintiff’s prize entries or games offered at Plaintiff’s business constitute an unlawful
22 gambling operation and/or unlawful lottery, and do not constitute a lawful sweepstakes. Except
23 as expressly admitted herein, Defendant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 7 of the
24 Complaint.

25 8. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 8 of the Complaint that it takes the
26 position that Plaintiff’s operation as described in paragraph 7 of the Complaint constitutes
27 unlawful conduct.
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1 9. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 9 of the Complaint that it confiscated
2 computers, servers, monitors and related business equipment and items from Plaintiff. Defendant
3 denies that the Division of Gambling Control conducted the activities alleged in paragraph 9 of
4 the Complaint. Defendant avers that it was the Bureau of Gambling Control that conducted the
5 activities alleged in paragraph 9 of the Complaint pursuant to a lawfully issued search warrant in
6 the furtherance of a criminal investigation of unlawful gambling. Defendant is without
7 information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the implied allegation in paragraph 9
8 of the Complaint that Plaintiff owns the confiscated property, and on that basis denies such
9 allegation.

10 10. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 10 of the Complaint that attached
11 thereto as Exhibit A is a one-page "Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines" pertaining to Lucky
12 Bobs Internet Café. Defendant avers that the entity issuing the notice was the Department of
13 Justice, Bureau of Gambling Control, not the Division of Gambling Control.

14 11. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 11 of the Complaint that the Complaint
15 was filed and served within 30 days of the issuance of the notice referred to in paragraph 10 of the
16 Complaint. Defendant cannot admit or deny the remaining allegations in paragraph 11 of the
17 Complaint as they are in the form of demands and on that basis denies each and every remaining
18 allegation therein.

19 **RESPONSE TO FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION FOR INJUNCTIVE RELIEF**

20 12. In response to paragraph 12 of the Complaint, Defendant hereby incorporates by
21 reference, as though fully set forth herein, the admissions, denials and further allegations
22 contained within its answer to paragraphs 1 through 11, inclusive, of the Complaint.

23 13. Defendant is without information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the
24 allegations in paragraph 13 of the Complaint and on that basis denies each and every allegation
25 therein.

26 14. Defendant denies the allegation in paragraph 14 of the Complaint that Plaintiff will
27 suffer irreparable injury for the reasons alleged in paragraph 14. Defendant cannot admit or deny
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1 the remaining allegations in paragraph 14 of the Complaint as they are in the form of a prayer for
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3 **RESPONSE TO SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF**

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9 Plaintiff's operation is prohibited by law. Defendant admits that Plaintiff contends that Plaintiff
10 is operating lawful sweepstakes. Defendant admits that it contends that Plaintiff's prize entries or
11 games offered at Plaintiff's business constitute an unlawful gambling operation and/or unlawful
12 lotteries, and do not constitute lawful sweepstakes.

13 17. Defendant cannot admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 17 of the Complaint as
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16 **AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

17 **FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE TO EACH AND EVERY CAUSE OF ACTION**

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27 Plaintiff has not suffered irreparable injury and is unlikely to succeed on the merits.
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SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE TO EACH AND EVERY CAUSE OF ACTION

Plaintiff lacks standing to bring this action for injunctive and declaratory relief.

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The relief sought by Plaintiff violates the State Constitution, article IV, section 19, subdivisions (a) and (e).

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The relief sought by Plaintiff violates provisions of law prohibiting the possession or operation of unlawful gambling devices, including Penal Code section 330b.

WHEREFORE, Defendant prays:

1. That Plaintiff be granted no relief in this action;
2. That judgment be entered for Defendant;
3. For costs of suit incurred in connection with this action; and,
4. For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: December 29, 2009

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Case Name: **Lucky Bobs Internet Cafe v. Department of Justice**
Case No.: **37-2009-00057438-CU-MC-NC**
Court: **Superior Court of California, County of San Diego – North County Division**

I, **Peter C. MacIlvaine**, declare:

I am employed in the Office of the Attorney General, which is the office of a member of the California State Bar, at which member's direction this service is made. I am 18 years of age or older and not a party to this matter. I am familiar with the business practice at the Office of the Attorney General for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service. In accordance with that practice, correspondence placed in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General is deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day in the ordinary course of business.

On **December 29, 2009**, I served the attached:

1. **Defendant California Department of Justice's Answer to Lucky Bobs Internet Café, LLC's Verified Complaint for Injunctive and Declaratory Relief; and**
2. **Defendant California Department of Justice's Answer to Stockton Enterprises, LLC's and Stockton Déjà Vu Boutique, LLC's Verified Complaint for Injunctive and Declaratory Relief**

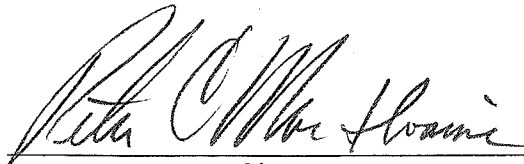
by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General at 110 West A Street, Suite 1100, P.O. Box 85266, San Diego, CA 92186-5266, addressed as follows:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on **December 29, 2009**, at San Diego, California.

Peter C. MacIlvaine
Declarant


Signature

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**DEFENDANT CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE'S
ANSWER TO STOCKTON
ENTERPRISES, LLC'S AND
STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE,
LLC'S VERIFIED COMPLAINT FOR
INJUNCTIVE AND DECLARATORY
RELIEF**

Dept: N-28
Judge: Hon. Earl H. Maas III
Trial Date: Not yet assigned
Action Filed: July 17, 2009

1 **STOCKTON ENTERPRISES, LLC, and**
 2 **STOCKTON DÉJÀ VU BOUTIQUE, LLC,**

3 Plaintiffs,

4 v.

5 **CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF**
 6 **JUSTICE, and DOES 1-25, inclusive,**

7 Defendants.

8 Defendant, the California Department of Justice (Defendant) answers Plaintiffs Stockton
 9 Enterprises, LLC's and Stockton Déjà Vu Boutique, LLC's (Plaintiffs) verified complaint for
 10 injunctive and declaratory relief (Complaint) as follows:

11 **RESPONSE TO ALLEGATIONS COMMON TO ALL CAUSES OF ACTION**

12 1. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 1 of the Complaint that Plaintiff
 13 Stockton Enterprises, LLC operates and does business as Déjà Vu Showgirls at 4206 N. West
 14 Lane, Stockton, California. Defendant is without information or belief sufficient to be able to
 15 admit or deny the remaining allegations in paragraph 1 of the Complaint and on that basis denies
 16 each and every remaining allegation therein.

17 2. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 2 of the Complaint that Plaintiff
 18 Stockton Déjà Vu Boutique, LLC operates and does business as the Lucky Déjà Vu Internet Café
 19 at 4124 N. West Lane, Stockton, California. Defendant is without information or belief sufficient
 20 to be able to admit or deny the remaining allegations in paragraph 2 of the Complaint and on that
 21 basis denies each and every remaining allegation therein.

22 3. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 3 of the Complaint that it is a properly
 23 constituted department of the State of California. Defendant denies the allegation in paragraph 3
 24 of the Complaint that it has responsibility, through its Division of Gambling Control, for the
 25 uniform enforcement of laws, statutes and codes throughout the State of California. Defendant
 26 avers that it has the authority, through the Bureau of Gambling Control, for enforcing and
 27 ensuring compliance with state gambling laws.

28 4. Defendant denies each and every allegation in paragraph 4 of the Complaint.

1 5. Defendant is without information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the
2 allegations in paragraph 5 of the Complaint and on that basis denies each and every allegation.

3 6. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 6 of the Complaint that the Complaint
4 does not specifically request monetary damages. Defendant admits that it has represented that it
5 will destroy business equipment seized from Plaintiff in 30 days. Defendant is without
6 information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the implied allegation in paragraph 6
7 of the Complaint that Plaintiffs own the seized property, and on that basis denies such allegation.
8 Defendant denies the remaining allegations that are in the form of legal conclusions and citation
9 to case law and avers that the cited laws and decisions speak for themselves.

10 7. Defendant admits the allegations in paragraph 7 of the Complaint that Plaintiff
11 Stockton Déjà Vu Boutique, LLC operated the Lucky Déjà Vu Internet Café and that the Lucky
12 Déjà Vu Internet Café sold "internet time" to customers for use on Plaintiffs' computer terminals.
13 Defendant admits that Plaintiff Stockton Enterprises, LLC also had computers at Déjà Vu
14 Showgirls with internet access for customers to use. Defendant is without information or belief
15 sufficient to be able to admit or deny the implied allegation in paragraph 7 of the Complaint that
16 Plaintiffs own the computer terminals and on that basis denies such allegation.

17 8. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 8 of the Complaint that for every dollar
18 spent by a customer of Lucky Déjà Vu Internet Café and/or Déjà Vu Showgirls to purchase
19 "internet time," the customer received 100 prize entries. Defendant admits that prize winners
20 were determined by the customer entering his or her entries into a computer at Plaintiffs'
21 businesses and either: (a) immediately determining if a prize had been won, or (b) operating one
22 of at least 18 different games on the computer to determine if a prize had been won. Defendant
23 admits that a customer's ability to win or lose at the computer games was not based upon the
24 customer's skill at playing the games. Defendant admits that a customer's ability to win a prize
25 was not based upon the customer's skill at playing the games. Defendant admits that no skill or
26 expertise was required to win a prize and that no amount of skill or expertise could influence the
27 outcome of the computer games. In response to the allegations in the final sentence in paragraph
28 8 of the Complaint, Defendant avers that Plaintiffs' prize entries or games offered at Plaintiffs'

1 businesses constitute unlawful gambling operations and/or unlawful lottery, and do not constitute
2 lawful sweepstakes. Except as expressly admitted herein, Defendant denies each and every
3 allegation in paragraph 8 of the Complaint.

4 9. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 9 of the Complaint that it takes the
5 position that Plaintiffs' operations as described in paragraph 8 of the Complaint constitute
6 unlawful conduct.

7 10. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 10 of the Complaint that it confiscated
8 computers, servers, monitors and related business equipment and items from Plaintiffs.
9 Defendant denies that the Division of Gambling Control conducted the activities alleged in
10 paragraph 10 of the Complaint. Defendant avers that it was the Bureau of Gambling Control that
11 conducted the activities alleged in paragraph 10 of the Complaint pursuant to a lawfully issued
12 search warrant in the furtherance of a criminal investigation of unlawful gambling. Defendant is
13 without information or belief sufficient to be able to admit or deny the implied allegation in
14 paragraph 10 of the Complaint that Plaintiffs own the confiscated property, and on that basis
15 denies such allegation.

16 11. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 11 of the Complaint that attached to the
17 Complaint as Exhibit A is a one-page "Notice of Intention to Destroy Machines" pertaining to
18 Stockton Enterprises, LLC (Lucky Déjà Vu Showgirls). Defendant admits the allegation in
19 paragraph 11 of the Complaint that attached to the Complaint as Exhibit B is a one-page
20 "Property Receipt" pertaining to Stockton Déjà Vu Boutique, LLC (Lucky Déjà Vu Café).
21 Defendant avers that the entity issuing the notice was the Department of Justice, Bureau of
22 Gambling Control, not the Division of Gambling Control.

23 12. Defendant admits the allegation in paragraph 12 of the Complaint that the Complaint
24 was filed and served within 30 days of the issuance of the notice referred to in paragraph 11 of the
25 Complaint. Defendant cannot admit or deny the remaining allegations in paragraph 12 of the
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27 allegation therein.
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1 13. In response to paragraph 13 of the Complaint, Defendant hereby incorporates by
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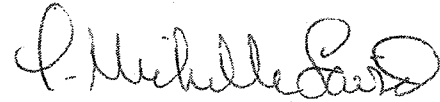
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